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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:

Applicants: Hua CHEN et al. : Group Art Unit: 2176

Serial No.: 09/727,491 : Examiner: Unassigned

Filed: December 4, 2000 :

For: AUTOMATIC, MULTI-STAGE RICH MEDIA CONTENT CREATION

USING A FRAMEWORK BASED DIGITAL WORKFLOW - SYSTEMS,

METHODS AND PROGRAM PRODUCTS

Commissioner of Patents BOX MISSING PARTS

Washington, D.C. 20231

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior the examination on the merits, please make the following changes in the aboveidentified application to correct minor informalities in the application as filed.

## **IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Applicants hereby amends page 1, lines 9-10 by replacing paragraph 1 of the specification to read as follows:

Serial No. 09/727,524 entitled "An XML-Based Textual Specification for Rich-Media Content Creation – Systems, Methods And Program Products", filed December 4, 2000, (SOM920000010US1/1963-7399), assigned to the same assignee as that of the present invention and fully incorporated herein by reference.